GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
LOK SABHA

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SPEEDY TRIAL OF CORRUPT OFFICERS IN SUPER BAZAR
PRABHUNATH SINGH

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) whether proceedings for major disciplinary proceedings against the Dy. G.M. in Super Bazar on corruption charges have been pending for number of years;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether despite financial constraints NCCF is arranging supply of items through manufacturers/ distributors/ dealers when the suppliers make supplies direct to the Government departments concerned on credit and NCCF does not maintain any stocks on their shelfs; and

(d) the steps the Government propose to take to root out the corruption and dispose of the cases speedily?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION

(SHRI V. SREENIVASA PRASAD)

(a) & (b): Major penalty proceedings against Shri Vijay Kumar, DGM, in three cases on corruption charges are in progress:

(i) Charge sheet was issued on 22.1.96. Inquiry has been completed and further action is being taken on the report of the Inquiry Officer.

(ii) Charge sheet was issued on 13.5.98. The inquiry is in progress.

(iii) Charge sheet was issued on 8.4.2000. Charged Officer has been given time to accept/ deny the charges against him.

(c) NCCF is arranging supplies to the Government Deptts. after procuring from manufacturers/ distributors/ dealers on most competitive terms which Govt. Deptts. may not be able to obtain directly. There is no necessity to maintain buffer stock in anticipation of supply orders from the Govt. Deptts.

(d) There is a full fledged Vigilance Cell which looks into complaints of any nature and intiates action where necessary.